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For:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING A SILICIDED GATE ELECTRODE AND METHOD

OF MANUFACTURE THEREFOR

**Cuong Quang Nguyen** 

## **ELECTION**

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 .Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 MAILING CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a) I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient

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Dear Sir:

This election is offered in response to the Examiner's restriction requirement mailed November 17, 2004.

Applicant hereby elects to pursue Group II of Claims 10-19, drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device, without traversing the Examiner's restriction requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

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